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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for responding to the Official Action of March 21, 2005, in the above-identified application, now set to expire on June 21, 2005, be extended by one month, until July 21, 2005.

A Continuation-in-Part application is being filed together with this Petition, so that the present application and the Continuation-in-Part application are copending.

Attached is payment of \$60.00, as prescribed in 37 CFR \$1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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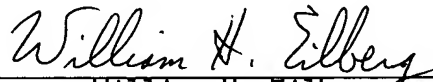
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